

## English

### **Poetry:**

Writing a senses poem on Victorian street scene  
Reading and performing Edward Lear poems and writing in the style of Edward Lear

### **Stories with historical settings:**

Reading Rose Campion and the Stolen Secret, exploring the motives of the characters, discussing the historical context and using powerful descriptive language to describe settings from the story.

### **Persuasion writing:**

Writing a persuasive letter  
Writing an advert for Victorian Brighton as a seaside resort

### **Explanation texts:**

Identifying features of the genre and writing an information text to explain a Victorian-inspired invention.

## Maths

Counting, partitioning and calculating  
Securing number facts  
Using measures  
Calculating, measuring and understanding shape  
Securing number facts, relationships and calculating  
  
Using mathematical reasoning.  
Problem solving

## Science

### **Electricity**

Identifying common appliances.  
Constructing simple circuits including switches.  
Understanding common conductors and insulators.  
Exploring alternative sources of energy.

## Computing

### **Software development**

Developing a simple educational game.

Using simple programming commands to create an animation sequence.

## Topic

Identify what the environment was like in a workhouse and what class differences there were in Victorian society.

Understand the job prospects for working children in Victorian times.

Investigate and undertake the role of a servant working in a Brighton manor house.

Research as a group the life and work of a significant Victorian figure and make a presentation.

Year 4 - Eastbrook Primary Academy

# A Tale of Two Victorians

Autumn I and II 2020



## RE

### **Christianity**

Understanding Christian beliefs.  
Finding out about the stories told by Jesus and understanding the moral issues involved.

## PE / Games

Hockey  
Football  
Real PE

## Music

Exploring rhythms  
Composing and performing  
Dynamics (volume)  
Percussion instruments

## DT

Designing, making and evaluating an object inspired by a famous Victorian

## French

French greetings

Describe my family in French.  
Listen to and understand a story in French.

## Art

Exploring the work of William Morris and creating prints inspired by his artwork.

Pen and pencil drawings of famous Victorian people.